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For (title): SEARCH SUPPORTING APPARATUS, SEARCH SUPPORTING SYSTEM, OPERATION INSTRUCTING TERMINAL, SEARCH SUPPORTING METHOD, AND OPERATION INSTRUCTING SYSTEM

1. **Type of Application**

Utility
 Design

2. **Small Entity**

Yes
 No

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Divisional
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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) to the following foreign application(s) and/or inventor certificate(s):

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